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Each item of the information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in the International Search Report (ISR) of the counterpart foreign application, PCT/AU00/00760. A copy of the ISR of the PCT/AU00/00760 is enclosed.

We also include the following documents in the Information Disclosure Statement:

- WO 99/18487 (Interval Research Corp) copy enclosed
- US 5,051,736 (Bennett et al.)
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 Springer Verlag LNCS 1375, pp. 392-406 copy enclosed.

We respectfully request the enclosed citations be expressly considered during the content of the prosecution of the above-identified application.

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